

NWS FORM E-5 COMMERCE	U.S. DEPARTMENT OF NOAA, NATIONAL WEATHER	HSA OFFICE: San Juan, PR (SJU)
SERVICE		REPORT FOR (MONTH / YEAR): November, 2005
MONTHLY REPORT OF RIVER AND FLOOD CONDITIONS		DATE: December 5, 2005
TO: NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL INFO CENTER, W/OS31 SSMC 2 – Room 13468 1325 EAST-WEST HIGHWAY SILVER SPRING, MD 20910-3283		SIGNATURE: Althea Austin-Smith
When no flooding occurs, include miscellaneous river conditions, such as significant rises, record low stages, ice conditions, snow cover, droughts, and hydrologic products issued (WSOM E-41).		

Summary: The rainfall for the month of November was much drier than for the month of October which was a record breaking month for the entire Region. The San Juan ASOS reported 7.31 inches for the month of November, 1.14 inches greater than the normal of 6.17 inches. At the Truman Field in St. Thomas, the reported amount was 3.11 inches which was 2.17 inches less than their normal of 5.28 inches.

The bulk of the rainfall that occurred in the month of November fell during the first half of the month. Around the 3rd of the month, a surge of moisture moved across Puerto Rico and the US Virgin Islands, enough to kick off a round of showers and thunderstorms which in turn led to the issuance of a couple of Urban/Small Stream Flood Advisories.

The majority of the non-routine Hydrologic Products ... Urban/Small Stream Flood Advisories, was issued from the 11th to the 14th of November as the remnants of an Upper Level Trough Axis interacted with low level moisture that moved in from the Southeast. Some areas picked up 4 to 6 inches of rainfall during this 4 day period. The rainfall was not continuous so while some minor to moderate rises were noted on some of the rivers, no flooding was reported at the forecast points or any other gaged locations. This moisture was associated with a tropical wave that fortunately moved through to the south of the forecast area. This tropical wave eventually became TD #27.

Non-Routine Hydrologic Products Issued:	Number of Products for the month
Hydrologic Outlooks (SJUESFSJU)	0
Flood Watches (SJUFFASJU)	0
Flood Warnings (SJUFLWSJU)	0
Flash Flood Warnings (SJUFFWSJU)	0
Urban/Small Stream Flood Advisories (SJUFLSSJU)	15